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100 BARRELS OF

WELL COMES IN ON LEASE

etting good wells. The Irvine field is now producing tors oil than any other field east of the Mississippi river. It is the largest and most productive shallow field ever vered in the United States, Kentucky is no longer known as a barrel or unprofitable oil field.

REV. DARLINGTON MOVES TO BARBOURSVILLE.

of Morris Harvey College, has taken up residence at Barboursville. He for-merly lived at Huntington. Dr. Dar-lington is much pleased with the agter is much pleased with the outaive preparations are being made for the school year which opens Septem-ber 13th. He will continue his activi-ties as financial agent until the mid-

A SLUMBER (7) PARTY

the girls of the party remaining for He is about ninety-three years of what they called a "slumber" party age, and spends part of his time with what has been more properly Paintsville relatives.

If you have the properly being the pr erless" party. Of the twelve nvited only two were deprived of the st enjoyable features of the happy casion. The guests were Missen Belle York, his grandmor school Johnson, Vivian Haya, Kfizie risms, Elizabeth Conley, Grace Samonts, Dixie Byington, Sue Bromley, grass Abbott, Kathleen Lackey and DEATH OF YOUNG

NDER ARREST FOR DESERTION

Anhland Independent says; Newt Fannin, of Paintsville, ested in West Virginia on uarge of desertion from Co. K. of as Second Regiment, Kentucky Na-onal Guard: passed through Ashland in charge of an army officer enroute to Fort Thomas, where he will face a court martial. If found guilty he will elve a sentence of from two enty-one years in the peniten tiary, the National Guardsmen are now r pegular army rules and regu-ns. The penalty for desertion in y the \$50 reward for their arreat and all other expense their return

the afternoon's pleasure.

GOING TO IRVINE.

nerchant has rented a store room at rvine, Ky. and will move his store from Louisa to that place, after the close of the sale advertised in this ed companion and was born and reared in this week's News. Jake's many friends in this community. He is a man of regret to see him leave, but wish him

there and doing a thriving busin-

DAM AT HUNTINGTON.

Assurances that, as a sequel to the 1800,000 Congressional appropriation for continuance of improvement of the Diio river, Dam No. 27, just east of Tuntington, will be built as moon as dams can be completed and bids resisted, has been made by the chief of legineers at Washington. The matter has been taken up with the authoribes at Washington. The site has almady been purchased.

A FRIEND.

FRROR IN DEED TO

By some unexplained error in a deed made eight years ago, several unsus-pecting persons in Winchester have come in possession of 172 acres of land in Powell county on which there is al-

A large oil well was drilled in last of old records showed that the 172 riday on a lease obtained in the 1r- acres had never been transferred and the field by F. H. Yates about three the title rests in the heirs of Joe Mc-

JOE HICKS, NEW WORLD'S CHAMPION.

The Independent says: Ashland has another son who has reached the top round of the ladder of fame in his particular line.

Little Joe Hicks, who is by of all jugglers to be the champion diabola manipulator of the world, is ome on his vacation,and as a spec ial compliment to his old friend, Dick

astonished thousands by his marvel-ous feat of catching his spinning top from the top of 24 story buildings.

DAUGHTER.

Dr. Robert Hurt who had been for Miss Margaret Los Chaffin was the armsing hostess on Monday night of its week at her home on Lady Wash-ten street, to a number of Louisa ris. In the early evening several accompanied him as far as Cincinnations ladies and young men gathered the series of the party remaining for the series of the ser

AT FALLSBURG

Master John York, of Catlettsburg out of town. A midnight lunch scampering about on the farm separaout of town. A midnight lunch scampering about on the farm gener-served, and this was one of the ally at the home of his uncle, George Norris, at Fallsburg, this county. Mrs. Belle York, his grandmother, is also

WIFE AND MOTHER

MRS. ROBT. AKERS, FIRST OF F M. SEE'S 15 CHILDREN TO DIE.

Mrs. Mollie See Akers died at the ome of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F M. See, on Lick creek, Enday night. Aug. 11, 1916, after a considerable perations. The penalty for desertion in Aug. 11, 1316, after a considerable per-ime of war is death. In addition to iod of suffering, and her remains were serving the penalt penalty, deserters deposited in the Shannon burial grounds on Sunday. The services were conducted by Rev. L. M. Copley. Akers was about 33 years old, and leaves a husband and five children to MRS. ADAMS ENTERTAINS.

Mrs. R. E. Adams was a delightful 11 years and the youngest 2 years.

outcome of the week, bringing together There are four girls and one boy. Mrs. her home on Perry street, on Wed-Akers was a christian woman of the Akers was a christian woman of the compliment to her attractive visitor, a faithful christian for several years. Arthur Apple, of Columbus, O. a faithful wife and dutiful mother, and s hours were pleasantly spent with when the end came she was in an ec-ich and conversation, and delicious stacy of happiness bern of her strong reshments daintily served concluded faith and long experience, and she passed away shouting the praise her Savior. Our homes and society can ill afford to lose such noble Jake Israisky, Louisa's well known for they are so much needed these mit and so we say "Thy will be done. Robert Akers, the sadly bereave

Milt Evans is running a livery barn He is a son of John Akers, a well known and respected citizen of our county Mr. Akers had but recently moved to DAM AT HUNTINGTON.

Michigan, but the failing health of his rances that, as a sequel to the wife caused him to bring her back

KILLS BROTHER.

President W. J. Williamson, of the near Morehead, Jeff Mayes shot and who was well known in Kenova.

The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon in Kenova at the First Baphealth. He has just arrived in Denver had become separated and Jeff missing writing that he is improving from took the brim of his brothers hat for Ceresto, officiating. Burial at Hunting-his recent severe attack and relapse. A squrrel. George died of his wounds.

VALUABLE OIL LANDS. CHICAGO FIRM GETS RAILROAD CONTRACT

stimated by oil men to be good for 100 of Winchester, are among the tract.

The best well yet drilled on the south side of Kentucky River was drill-form a connection with the Chesapeake to have been puraped yesterday for the first test. We have not learned the first test. We have not learned the result.

Mr. Yates and his associates are to be congratulated upon their lucky be congratulated upon their lucky be congratulated upon their lucky River was drill-forks of Beaver Creek, the route being forks of Beaver Creek, the route being the first test. We have not learned the first test. We have not learned the result.

Mr. Yates and his associates are to cated on the South Fork of Station Camp. It is reported that the pay was branched at a depth of 260 feet and is classed as a 100-barrel well.

This is decidedly the biggest well in the south section of the field and in the south section of the field and live of the south section of the field and live feet to 775 feet long.

Weeksbury is a new town established.

Mr. Yates and his associates are to be congratulated upon their lucky arises are to be congratulated upon their lucky arises as a 100-barrel well.

The next well will be started on the same tract within a few days, and his will be followed by others as rapidly as possible. Five or six wells will be drilled on the tract. The depth of these wells is between 70e and 300 fest.

Mr. Yates procured this lease in the midst of the developed territory and there was never much donot about setting good wells.

This is decidedly the biggest well.

This is decidedly the biggest well and has served to renew confidence and interest in that section. The owner of the land, Chas. Rice, when oil was found on a neighbor's farm, became so excited, his mind became unbalanced and he is now undergoing treatment at the State institution at Lexington.

JOE HICKS, NEW several parties of engineers having gone over and thoroughly investigated a route during the last five years. The beginning of the line will be at a point on the Chesapeake & Ohio Railway 10 miles south of Prestonsburg, Ky, and about 30 miles north of Shelby, at which latter point the Baltimore & Ohio already has another detached line which runs into the Elkhorn field of the Consolidation Coal Co. The coal from the Long Fork line now to be built will be taken to the market over the Chesapeake & Ohio and Baltimore & Ohio lines, as is the coal taken out over the Sandy Valley and Elkhorn, which is the name of the older coal mine railroad. Some of this coal, and maybe much of it, will goto the Great Lakes over the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton road, which is controlled by

the Baltimore and Ohio. this connection it is importan to note that the Baltmore & Ohio made surveys some time ago for a line from Kenova, W. Va., along the Big Sandy Valley, practically paralleling the C. & O. Railway with the idea, it is understood, that some day a double track through the valley to get out the coal rapidly might be necessary. There has not as yet, however, been any an-nouncement of an official nature covering this plan.

BROTHERS FORM PARTNERSHIP. The following from the Ashland Independent refers to the sons of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sturgplk formerly of this place.

Dr. J. D. Sturgell, the well-known physician of Princess has formed a partnership with his brother, Dr. G. M. Sturgell, and the two will have their offices in the Sturgell building roads suffered to som on thirteenth street. The firm will traffic has been delayed. make an exceptionally strong one as both are physicians and surgeons of exceptional ability. Dr. G. M. Sturgell BASCON RICKMAN has been very successful in the practice of his profession in Ashland and Dr. J. D. Sturgelf has also been very eccessful in his practice at Princ where he has been for several years

MRS. L. T. VINSON DIES.

After suffering for many months Mrs. L. T. Vinson, wife of Dr. Vinson, formerly a litizen of Kenova, died at her home in Huntington, Tuesday, Aug. 1st. She was a gifted singer and a favorite in social and musical circles.

Mrs. Vinson was born in Augusta, eath.-Ceredo Advance.

S. S. ASSOCIATION

The Kavanaugh Sunday School Assion at Kavanaugh church on Sunday Aug. 27th, commencing at 10:30 a. m. A full delegation of all the schools in Ice water and dinner will H. Culton, in Huntington, Friday last, on the ground. Prominent Mrs. Scott had returned from the

Rev. J. H. Dawson, President. Jessie Edmond, Secretary.

AGED RESIDENT OF WAYNE COUNTY DEAD.

M. D. HATTEN DIES AT HIS HOME IN KENOVA AFTER LONG ILLNESS.

Death due to a complication of diseases came to M. D. Hatten, of Keno-va, Tuesday morning after an illness Through the

PESTILENCE IS NOW FEARED

Charleston, W. Va. Aug. 12.-All available men are at work on traction bridges of the C. & O. to Fairfield four miles from Cabin creek junction that supplies may be rushed to miners and familes left destitute and hungry by the flood Wednesday. Food car-

his body was found there was an im-print on the roof of the mine of an axe

BROTHERS DIE OF PELLAGRA: HOME BURNED AS PRECAUTION.

Liberty, Ky., Aug. 11.—Both ill with pellagra, Oscar and Walter Tartar, rothers residing in the Sand Knob section of Casey county, were being moved in a wagen to the county infirmary near here when the former died while the wagon stopped at Kidd's store. Walter was taken to the alms house but died in a few days. Their parents had died of the disease two years ago. Their home was burned to present the spread of the malady.

GUARDSMAN PLACED

UNDER ARREST

James Pigg, Roy Runyons and Gold-en Jordan, all of Catlettsburg, were arrested in that city by Capt. R. O. Poage on a charge of being absent from camp without leave. The men were placed in jail and and later sent to Fort Thomas under guard. Pigg was found in a barber shop and Jordan at the home of a young lady on whom he was calling at Normal.

HEAVY RAINS CAUSE DAMAGE.

KILLED BY TRAIN

MANGLED BODY FOUND BY N. & N. TRACKS AT PRICHARD.

The body of Bascom Rickman was found Saturday morning alongside th Ky., but spent practically her entire N. & W. tracks near Prichard, W. Va. life in Huntington. After completing it is supposed he was killed by a train her education she became the wife of He was 25 years of age and was em-Dr. Vinson. One child was born to ployed as cook on the N. & W. camp them, Lindsey, a little girly whose cars. The body was taken to the Rick-birthdayfell on the day of her mother's man home at Zeida for burial. Two sisters of the young man, Miss Margar-et Rickman and Mrs. Lutie Workman of Portsmouth, were among those from a distance who attended the burial.

WIFE OF GRAYSON BANKER DIES.

After returning from a Baltimore hospital where she underwent an operthe circuit is expected to be present, ation, Mrs. Winfield Scott, wife of a Trains usually stop in front of the promittent Grayson, Ky, banker died church for accomodation of passengers at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John

that day. Ice water and consecutive that day is consecutive to the consecutive that day is consecutive to tha before returning home, Apparently she was recuperating when Friday morning she became very ill, and a short time after died.

With the husband and daughter, one son, Albert, 20 years old, survives. terment took place in Huntington Sunday afternoon.

A DELIGHTFUL SUMMER CAMP. The Williamson, W. Va., News says:

The summer camp of the camp Fire Girls of this city, is now in progress on Through the kindness of Aunt Vic

va. Toesday morning after an illness of some months. Mr. Hatten was about 12 years old, and one of the most respected cititzens of Wayne county. The wife, with five children survive his death.

Following are the children who are left: Emmett Hatten, Mrs. T. O. Simpson, Mrs. G. W. Whippie, Mrs. Fink and Mrs. John Kettle, all of Kenova. Mrs. Fink is the widow of Frank Fink who died three years ago in Ohio and

IN FLOOD DISTRICT. A SLEEP WALKER FATALLY INJURED

FALLS FROM THIRD STORY WIN-

A large oil well was drilled in last class of a large of the several years go. Examination of oil records showed that the parts are lifely by H. It was selected by H. It was selected by H. It was selected by the several years go. Examination of oil records showed that the parts are lifely by H. It was selected by H. It was selected by the several years go. Examination of the new sevar disposal plant at a cost of \$50,154.55. The nearest contender was supply of medicine to Canada supply of medicine to Cana

He was rendered unconscious by the print on the roof of the mine of an axe fall and never sgain regained his sen-point. The Australian was known to ses. He was taken to the Huntington carry considerable money on his per-son. Hospital where examination revealed a fracture at the base of the brain, a fracture of the left leg, and ruptur of the bladder.

The surgeons pronounced the case a practically hopeless one, but at the insistence of friends of the injured man

SAMPSON THE STRONGEST ' MAN IN THE RACE.

The returns sent to Frankfort sh Sampson to be the winner over Judge Kirk for the Republican nomination for Appellate Judge in this district. With Powell County out Sampson's Plurality is 935. It will be reduced by Powell county somewhat.

IN HONOR OF MAJOR BURCHETT Major D. J. Burchett, one of Kentucky's prominent citizens, formerly of Louisa but now of Mt. Sterling was surrounded by his children and grand-children, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. J. F. Ratcliff, on Tuesday, when this thoughtful Very heavy rains in theupper Big had arranged the feast in honor of the birthday anniversity of Major the same for its generous hospitality and on two years reached a high stage. Crops in low bottoms were drowned out. The rail-the elegance of the menu. The gath-the elegance of the menu elegance of the menu. ering comprised of Major and Mrs. Burchett, of Mt. Sterling; Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Burchett Jr. and son Wayne Carey of Louisa, Ky.; Mr. and Mrs. George Vinson and daughter Helen, of Louisa, ter Jack Rateliff.

BETHEL CAMP MEETING.

econd annual camp meeting The at the tabernacle near Busseyville begin Sunday Aug. 19th and continue until Sept. 3rd, with two services daily Among the workers will be Rev. W. W. Hankes and wife, Mr. C. C. Childers of Ashland, Rev. N. B. Curnutte, of Huntington. Special singing by Miss Sophia and Myrtle Bolt, of Bolts Furk.

The camp ground is about 3% miles from Louisa. Meals and lodging car be had on the grounds, and free ground will be given for pitching tents. En-Meals and lodging ca gage your Sunday meals by Saturday

night. Bring provisions with you to help feed the preachers and workers. COMMITTEE

HOSPITAL NOTES.

A young son of J. W. Lyons of Paints ville was brought to Riverview Hospital a few days ago for an operation visiting relatives at Williamson, W. Va. on his foot. The bone was found to be affected.

Wrs. Curt Thompson is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. M.

Mrs. P. W. Watts, of Genoa W. Va. operated upon and is doing very nicely.

TRAGIC DEATH OF JEFF CLARKE. Jeff Clarke, aged 26, son of Mr. and

Mrs. B. Clarke, of Catlettsburg, was struck by a freight train near his home Saturday and killed. Some say he at-tempted to swing on the train and by some means received a blow on the breaking his neck and one limb. Burial took place at Ceredo.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

F. M. Hyden, 23, to Mary Ellen Coch-ran, 22, daughter of F. C. Cochran. Charley Ferguson, 24, to Mrs. Sens

John Williamson 26, to Martha Halley, 18. J. M. Day, 25, to Erma Stewart 18

Ed. K. Spencer, who has I Washington, N. C. for the past year, afternoon is expected homes gion for a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Spen-Louina

SURVEYING FOR WATERWORKS.

Prof. J. R. Johnson and J. M. Turner civil engineers of Richmond are making a pint of the fown to be used by the Irvine Water Co. just being organized. The work will also include Ravenna.

Mrs. James Goble and little daughter, were here Saturday from Williamson, W. Va. enroute to Prestansburg to visit relatives. They were accompanied this far by Mr. Goble who returned to Williamson.

GEORGE CAREY GETS A LARGE CONTRACT.

The Sullivan Construction Company, a new contracting firm composed of M. F. Sullivan, of Atlanta; George B. Carey and E. B. Ellis, of Lexington, was awarded the largest single con-tract ever let by the city of Lexington when it was found to be the lowest

FOR HIS MONEY.

An Australian, whose name was not learned, was killed last week in a coal mine of the Turney Mining Co., at Stome, Ky. It was at first thought that the miner had been killed by a mine shot but there are now suspicious that he was murdered for his money and thrown into the mine. This theory is strengthened by the fact that there was but one injury on the man's head and that directly above where he sould reach him, however, he had and that directly above where his bedow.

He was rendered unconscious by the factour had been window and this gave way under the wayne county teachers institute held at Wayne, W. Va. the week of July 24th, in which Miss Katharine article to Miss Freese, of this place, was musical director. Reference was made in the window ledge by his hands. Before he could reach him, however, he had fallen to the pavement thirty feet below.

He was rendered unconscious by the

FISH AND GAME LAWS POSTED BY QUINCY WARD.

J. Quincy Ward, executive agent of the Kentucky game and fish commis-sion, is distributing and posting all over the state posters giving the principal features of the Kentucky fish and game laws with limits of hunting seaan operation was performed Thursday night. The man's body was taken to Catlettsburg for interment.

Mr. Chapman's wife died less than ing licenses for all who hunt on property not their own. A list of rewards a year ago and left him the care of a year ago and left him the care of the conviction of persons violating these provisions is also given.

CAPTAIN VAUGHAN CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY.

The seventy-seventh birthday of Capt. Rex Vaughan was observed Sunday with a prettily appointed mid-day dinner, at which a number of Louisa friends were guests, they coming down on the forenoon train for the purpose. They were Mrs. Firest Stewart, Miss Vivian Hayes, Miss Lou Chaffin and Homer Yates.—Ashland Independent.

DEATH ALLEGED DUE TO INJURIES.

James I. Brumfield, aged 33, who resided in Catlettaburg and was married, died Saturday night. His remains were buried in the Clinton Furnace cemetery. Death resulted it is said from an injury to the back and kidneys which he received the contract of the two years ago when struck by a C. &

BLUE GRASS SEED SOLD AT 80 CENTS PER BUSHEL.

Winchester, Ky., Aug. 12.-Rev. D. Albans, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Long, Mrs. J. D. Biggs, Mr. J. F. Ratchiff and Mas-els of bluegrass seed at 50 cents per els of bluegrass seed at 50 cents per bushel. This consignment represented a large quantity of last year's crop, as vell as the 1916 crop.

BLAINE

After a weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. Burch and two sons have return to their home at Columbus O. The farmers all seemed well plea

with the recent rains. The storm Friday evening did a great deal of dam age to large corn.

N. T. Boggs was a business visitor here Monday. Luther We'ter and family, of Chic-

ago, are here visiting Mr. Walter's Oliver Swetnam passed thru here Monday with a fine drove of hogs. Chas, Edwards, who has a nice position in the Clerk's office in Le is spending a few days with home folks

After spending a few weeks with friends nad relatives at Pinkerington, Ohio, Mrs. S. J. Carter returned home Tuesday. Mrs. A. J. Mounts and children are

Walter. E. E. Wheeler, of Osie, was in our

lown Saturday. Mr. Albin was here over Sunday. The boys and girls of Blaine school have organized a Literary society and Ill meet Thursday night of each week. S. D. Wellman is on the sick list. Harry Burton visited home folks Saturday and Sunday.

MATTIE The Cando Union Sunday School as largely attended Sunday.

Dewey Moore, of Louisa spent Sun-day afternoon with Miss Jettle Hayes. Edgar and Conn Moore, of Colum-bus, O., are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ball.

Jesse Cordle was calling on Miss Esta Moore Sunday.

Jim Preston, of Georges Crock, was on our creek Sunday.

John Ball and Willie Hayes attend-

ed Suday school at this place Sunday

Roy Hayes made a business trip to Louiss Friday. Miss Virginia Toler, of Glen Alum, W. Va., is visiting for stater, Mrs. J. D.

Moore.

Bert Ball spent Saturday and Sunday with Walter Stambaugh, of Blaine.

H. K. Moore spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks.

A LONESOME BOY.